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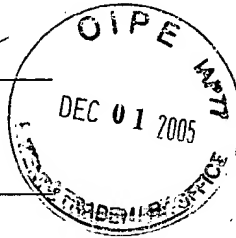
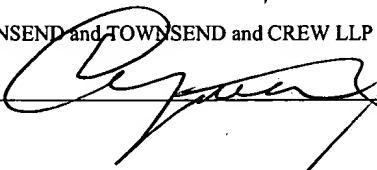
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Eiju Katsuragi, et al.

Application No.: 09/866,226

Filed: May 24, 2001

For: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR
STORING DUPLICATE DATA

Customer No.: 20350

Confirmation No. 5895

Examiner: Ramy M. Osman

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In response to the Final Office Action mailed September 7, 2005 on the above-referenced application, please enter the following amendments and remarks:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.